

ed a brilliant appearance. It was at first supposed to

be a vessel on fire, but the distance to which the
demonstrated to extend, mentioned that suggestion.

snags seems to have enlarged the upper openings. As nearly as could be ascertained from the use of a telescope, a large tract of woods on the easterly shore of the island was on fire, which the high wind prevailing seemed very material to favor. Some particular men may yet be received as to the cause of the phenomenon.

[New-Haven Register, 30th.]

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE NEW-YORK TRIBUNE.

KANSAS ELECTION.

CHICAGO, Saturday, March 31, 1855.

A dispatch from Weston, Missouri, via St. Louis, says that the Pro-Slavery Ticket on the north side of Kansas River had 1,000 majority, and that there was no opposition to the Pro-Slavery Ticket in Burr, Oak or Atchison Precincts.

FURTHER FROM HAVANA.

BALTIMORE, Sunday, March 31, 1855.

The Southern mail, as late as due, is received. A letter from Havana, dated 23th inst., to *The Christian Mercury*, says that Felix, Estampes, and Capt. McCulloch had a public trial on the 24th, but were not allowed to emulsoy counsel.

Felix and Estampes were found guilty, and the former was sentenced to ten years in the chain-gang, and the latter to death by the garote. Mc-

THE ENLISTMENT OF RECRUITS IN THE U. S.
BOSTON, Saturday, March 31, 1855.
We are in receipt of papers from Halifax, N. S., and St. John's, N. B., of late dates. The Legislative Council of Nova Scotia has refused to pass the Prohibitory Liquor Law, deferring its consideration until

The *Haitian Journal* contains official orders for providing rations for 100 recruits expected from the United States, for the army in the Crimea. The same paper says, it is expected that 3,000 men will be obtained in the United States, who are to be kept at Haiti long enough to be drilled and disciplined.

A St. John's paper says that the official handbills

for the enlistment are signed by Lewis M. Wilkins, Provincial Secretary of Nova Scotia, and the proceedings are understood to be connected with the visit of the Hon. Joseph Howe to the United States, from which he has not yet returned.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK MARKET.
PHILADELPHIA, Saturday, March 31, 1855.
Our Money market is unchanged. Stocks steady at the following quotations: Reading Railroad, 43; Morris Canal, 41; Long Island Railroad, 16 1/2; Pennsylvania Railroad, 41 1/2; Pennsylvania State River, 24.

NEW-YORK LEGISLATURE.
SENATE....ALBANY, March 31, 1855.
The bill for the better protection of mechanics and others erecting buildings in New-York, was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. HOPKINS reported a bill in relation to services of legal process in foreign corporations.

Mr. BROOKS introduced a bill in relation to the escheated lands of the State.

Mr. HITCHCOCK introduced a bill to continue the Sixty-six, Brooklyn.

BILLS PASSED.

Authorizing Marine Mutual Insurance Company of New York to increase their capital; to incorporate the Yonker's Water Company; to prevent the general Bank-Law Banks from making loans on their capital stock; amending the National Banking Laws to the circulation of the United States Mortgage.

The report of the Select Committee on the Temperance bill was called up.

Mr. HOPKINS moved to amend so as to allow the

importer to sell in the original packages, if not less than 16 cailons. Carried.

Yeas—Barnes, Bart, Brooks, Crosby, Dickinson, Fields,
 Hinchey, Hopkins, Lansing, Pratt, Spencer, Storing, Whit-
 ney.
 Ayes—Bishop, Bradford, Butler, C. Clark, Danforth, Good-
 win, Halsey, Hutchins, Wacker, Williams—12.
 Mr. HUTCHINS offered an amendment to submit
 the law to the people. **YEAS:** Bart, Brooks,
 Hutchins, Pratt, Spenuer, Storing, Yeot. **NAES:** 18.
 The bill was then ordered to a third reading with-
 out a count.
 The yeas being required, butter tins and skims
 and cheese boxes to be marked by the manufacturer
 with their own weight of articles, was lost. A motion
 to reconsider the vote was laid on the table.

ASSESSMENT.

BILLS INTRODUCED.

To incorporate the New York, Astoria and Ravens-
 wood Steamboat Company.
 In relation to Officers and Clerks of Banks in New-
 York and Brooklyn.

BILLS REPORTED COMPLETE.

To incorporate the Sancy Hook Pilots
 F. & d.
 To abolish the Fees of Court Judges.

To allow illegitimate children to inherit property in certain cases.

To authorize the Mayor &c., of New York, to raise \$2,000,000 to build a City Hall; to create new Wards in Brooklyn; to Brooklyn City Railway; to enable resident aliens to hold real estate.

The Senate amendments to the bill to enable the City of New-York to raise money by a tax, was concurred in.

ROLLS PASSED.

To authorize bonds of Supervisors; to adopt a real and make certified copies of their proceedings on evidence to prevent the sale of Unwholesome and Impure Milk.

LAW INTELLIGENCE

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM—MARCH 31.

DECISIONS.

Max Maretzek and wife agt Ole Bull—Order setting aside attachment principally on the ground that a married woman is not so horrified by law to enter into a contract on her own behalf affirmed, with costs.

Frédrik De Haes agt Daniel T. Young—Order affirmed, with costs.

Holman J. Hale agt Edward Cooper—Judgment affirmed, with costs.

Robert Miller agt John Westfall—Bench.

Joseph T. Gilbert agt Theodore Beach—Judgment, that complainant be dismissed.

Harriet Forrester agt Francis Wild—New trial granted, costs to third vent.

John T. Kendall agt Edward Stone—Judgment affirmed, with costs.

Finckney Fay agt Reuben Lovejoy—Judgment affirmed, with costs.

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Behr Challenge, (of St George,) Hatherne, Cardenas, 17th
Inst. with molasses &c. to Keneud & Francala. 24th Inst.

IN PURSUANCE of an order of the Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the **ESTATE OF JOHN PEDRONCELLI**, late of the City of New York, deceased, to present the same on or before the twentieth day of June next—said Surrogate, Cath. Pedroncelli, No. 347 Grand st., in the City of New York, on or before the twentieth day of June next—said New York, the 15th day of December.

WILLIAM STARRS,
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Administrators.

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vouchers therefor to the subscribers, at the office of James
Gridley, No. 59 Nassau-st., in the City of New-York, on or be-
fore the third day of May next.—Dated New-York, the twenty-
seventh day of October. 1854.

ARNED BECKERMAN, } Executives.
JOHN BAHMANN, }

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